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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I choose to use a competitive DSL provider (sonic.net) for my internet service rather than the big monopolies (Comcast, at&t) because I believe in competition, the free market and quality service (which Comcast and at&t do NOT provide).

If the infrastructure in my neighborhood ever catches up, I will want competitive fiber service, but for now competitive dual DSL serves me well.

The price of DSL is already high enough. Price hikes for competitive DSL would be unreasonable.

I use broadband at home every day for TV, news, and work.

I also use competitive telephone service (sonic.net).

I believe in democracy, and believe corporate lobbies should not be able to sway the government as much as they often do. Please don't allow crony capitalism. Keep capitalism pure.

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